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For: ANTAGONISTIC ANALOGS OF  
GH-RH INHIBITING IGF-I and -II

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### ELECTION AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 11, 2002, which sets a due date for  
response thereto of April 11, 2002, please amend the above identified application as  
follows:

#### In the Claims:

Please add the following new claims 12-17:

12. (New) The method of claim 9 which comprises administering a  
compound having the formula [PhAc<sup>0</sup>, D-Arg<sup>2</sup>, Phe(pCl)<sup>6</sup>, Arg<sup>9</sup>, Abu<sup>15</sup>, Nle<sup>27</sup>, D-Arg<sup>28</sup>,  
Har<sup>29</sup>]hGH-RH(1-29)NH<sub>2</sub> Peptide 1.

13. (New) The method of claim 9 which comprises administering a  
compound having the formula [PhAc<sup>0</sup>, D-Arg<sup>2</sup>, Phe(pCl)<sup>6</sup>, Har<sup>9</sup>, Tyr(Me)<sup>10</sup>, Abu<sup>15</sup>, Nle<sup>27</sup>, D-  
Arg<sup>28</sup>, Har<sup>29</sup>]hGH-RH(1-29)NH<sub>2</sub> Peptide 3.